UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

IN RE: PRADAXA (DABIGATRAN ETEXILATE) PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION) 3:12-MD-02385-DRH-SCW
) MDL NO. 2385
) _) CHIEF JUDGE DAVID R. HERNDON
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:	
) DEFENDANT BOEHRINGER
KENNETH WAYNE JACKSON, AS) INGELHEIM PHARMACEUTICALS,
ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE) INC.'S ANSWER TO PLAINTIFF'S
OF WILLIE MERLE JACKSON,) COMPLAINT
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PLAINTIFF,) JURY TRIAL DEMANDED
)
VS.) CASE NO. 3:13-CV-51304-DRH-SCW
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BOEHRINGER INGELHEIM)
PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. AND)
BOEHRINGER INGELHEIM)
INTERNATIONAL GMBH,)
)
DEFENDANTS.)

Defendant Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (hereinafter "BIPI"), by and through its attorneys, hereby responds to Plaintiff's Complaint through this Short Form Answer, as provided in Case Management Order 40 (Defendants' Master Short Form Answers) (CMO-40, Case 3:12-md-02385-DRH-SCW, Doc. 234, entered 7/15/2013). Pursuant to CMO-40, BIPI hereby incorporates the General Denials, Limited Admissions and defenses in BIPI's Master Short Form Answer (CMO-40, Exhibit A).

Respectfully submitted, this the 14th day of January, 2014.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Local Rule 5.1 and Case Management Order No.1, Paragraph 5, I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was filed through the Court's ECF system. Notice of this filing will be sent electronically to registered participants as identified on the Notice of Electronic Filing (NEF).

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